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THE TIDES

December, 1903.					December, 1903.								
High Water.		A. M.		P. M.		Low Water.		A. M.		P. M.			
Date.		h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	Date.		h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.		
SUNDAY		6	2:04	7.5	1:29	8.9	SUNDAY		6	7:40	2.8	8:19	1.0
Monday		7	2:47	7.6	2:15	8.7	Monday		7	8:32	2.8	9:05	0.3
Tuesday		8	3:34	7.6	3:05	8.3	Tuesday		8	9:27	2.8	9:51	0.3
Wednesday		9	4:23	7.6	4:01	7.7	Wednesday		9	10:20	2.8	10:43	0.3
Thursday		10	5:17	7.6	5:00	7.1	Thursday		10	11:25	2.7	11:37	0.9
Friday		11	6:15	7.5	6:22	6.5	Friday		11	12:25	2.6	12:35	3.4
Saturday		12	7:10	7.5	7:45	6.3	Saturday		12	0:30	1.5	1:40	2.1

Local Brevities.

The Waboww dance will take place on the 28th inst.

A reward of \$25 will be paid for the recovery of the body of Mrs. Nat Jones.

Wanted.—Girls, at the Troy laundry. Apply at office, corner of Tenth and Duane streets.

Joe Balen was brought down from Maygers last evening. He has a slight attack of appendicitis.

Store will be closed tomorrow (Wednesday) to mark down our goods.

C. C. O'NEIL.

Drive away the blues by going to the mid-winter circus which begins December 8, running five nights.

E. F. Libke returned last night from Sherwood, where he attended the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oll, formerly of this city.

Christmas novelties now coming in. Full line of things to burn. Visitors always welcome. Frank Woodfield's Art Store, Bond street.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Tweedle that has been in the local hospital since Sunday, suffering from pneumonia, is improving rapidly.

T. F. Laurin has a complete line of toilet articles and perfumes, the most complete stock in any retail store in the northwest. Give him a trial.

A force of men was employed yesterday in removing the memorial decorations and temporary seating arrangements from the lodge room of the Elks.

The Methodist church fair this evening will be the second affair of the kind to be held this season. Articles useful and ornamental will be on sale and refreshments will be served.

St. Agnes Guild of Grace Episcopal church will hold a social and cookie sale at the residence of Mrs. C. S. Brown on Franklin avenue, Thursday afternoon and evening, December 10. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Ladies, we have just received a fine assortment of varnishes, varnish stains, enamels, gold paints, bronzes, etc., put up expressly for those who do their own decorating. Now is the time to brighten up things as the holidays are approaching. B. F. ALLEN & SON.

County Surveyor Astbury, County Judge Trenchard and Road Master Frye went out to the Lewis and Clark bridge this morning for the purpose of laying out a piece of ground upon which a residence is to be erected for the accommodation of the bridge tender.

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The ladies of the Methodist church will hold their annual fair in the W. C. T. U. room on Bond street this evening beginning promptly at 7 o'clock. Coffee and other refreshments will be served. The articles for sale will be all the Christmas novelties imaginable and those who do not attend the fair will surely miss something good.

T. F. Laurin, the purchaser of the Conn drug store, corner of Commercial and Twelfth streets, has made some needed changes in his new store and is better prepared than ever to meet the requirements of the trade. He has also renewed the chemicals and subscription medicines and his customers can depend that the stock is new and fresh.

It is probable that the directors of the Commercial Club will authorize the members of the gymnasium committee to proceed with the erection of a new bath-house building, to be erected on the east side of the gymnasium, and thus obviate for all time the trouble experienced by reason of water dripping through the gymnasium floor to the offices beneath.

The logging camp of E. F. Libke will continue to operate throughout the winter. It is located on the Lewis and Clark. There are 14 men in camp and all are kept hustling getting out logs. The intention of Mr. Libke to keep his camp going meets with approval in the section where he operates, most of the people there being directly interested in the business.

Captain J. N. Jones, master of the schooner Belle, was arrested last evening on a warrant sworn out in Portland charging him with polygamy. The instructions to arrest came from Chief

Hunt, of the Portland police department, to Chief Hallock, and Jones was accordingly taken into custody. An officer will arrive on the night train and will take his prisoner to Portland tomorrow.

In the case of Charise Elander vs. Mary Anderson, tried before Justice of the Peace Goodman yesterday afternoon, a suit brought to recover \$80, alleged price of a buggy, the plaintiff was awarded \$40 and the defendant is to pay the cost of the suit. The plaintiff was represented by F. D. Winton, and G. C. Fulton acted for Miss Anderson. The case was tried before a jury composed of Harry Twilight, Herman Wise, Thomas Fannon and Charles Ruer.

Mill men are well satisfied over the action of the Southern Pacific in reducing the rate on lumber to California, and they are now on an equal footing with the mills in Southern Oregon and elsewhere. Sufficient cars are available for present needs, and as fast as possible others will be provided. The rate from the interior has been raised from \$3.50 to \$5, and the Portland rate of \$5 has also been restored. The market is not in as good condition as might be desired, but better prices are expected in the near future. There will be no reduction in the price of spruce, but on the contrary, as the supply diminishes, the value of that lumber will increase.

Richard Golden's "Old Jed Prouty," the quaint human picture of rural New England, so admirably conceived and illustrated by Robert Craig comes to Fishers' next Thursday night with a competent cast of good people, some of them long associated with their respective roles. Richard Golden, when he wrote "Old Jed Prouty," aimed to present a rural comedy drama faithfully portraying a simple, honest minded countryman, and so natural did he make his creation, that the public recognized the grandeur characterized in the tavern keeper, paid it the tribute of justice. Seat sale opens tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at Griffin's book store.

The smoker given last evening by the Chamber of Commerce was a delightful affair, quite a change from the staid and dignified meetings usually held by that august body. There was a large company gathered together and everybody proved himself everybody else's friend. The feature of the evening was short addresses, and interesting reminiscences were delightfully told. A few of the members sang, the songs being received with warm applause. A lunch was enjoyed by all present, and fragrant cigars were passed around. The smoker was given for the purpose of bringing the chamber and its friends together to stir up an interest in the upbuilding of the city through the medium of a social good time.

The steamer Nome City, recently from San Francisco, and now lying at Portland, is being sued by 20 passengers for \$25,000. The reason assigned by the libellants for their action is insufficient food, filthy accommodations, poor drinking water, lack of fresh air and poor service generally. The complaint alleges that on or about October 10, 1903, the libellants took passage on the Nome City at Nome, Alaska, for Seattle, Wash., and recites that during the entire trip were accorded every discourtesy and inconvenience possible. The complaint in part reads: "Linen used to dry the tableware, silverware, etc., was the discarded and yet unwashed towels from the different state-rooms. The food was badly cooked, badly served and much of it unfit for use. Special charge was made for fruit and other side relishes. The bed linen was changed once only during the voyage, and sometimes not at all. There was insufficient water for drinking and lavatory purposes and there was insufficient fresh air." The suit is brought by Fred Devine and others. Pipes & Tiff of Portland and Reavis & Foster of Seattle represent the libellants.

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